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VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

With the lateſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

OUR readers and well-wiſhers are hereby humbly put in mind that the printing buſineſs conferred by the Hon. the Houſe of Burgeſſes is to be withdrawn at the end of this ſeſſion from the old office, and removed to that kept by Mr. William Rind; which will deprive the former of one of its principal ſupports, if not totally deſtroy its exiſtence. Now as we have reaſon to believe it the almoſt univerſal deſire of the country that there ſhould be two preſſes maintained, for the ſecurity of freedom to one or both, we take this opportunity of informing the publick that we intend to continue our paper for ſome time, under the encouraging expectation that ſuch a ſubſcription will be promoted among the friends of liberty, as, with the aſſiſtance of our ordinary profits (for which we thank all our cuſtomers) will enable us to keep up THE VIRGINIA GAZETTE, *not only in* name *but in ſubſtance. This Gazette, ſince publiſhed by us, has we hope given general ſatisfaction; and in caſe of our meeting with ſucceſs in the flattering proſpect of a neceſſary ſupport, we beg leave to aſſure the publick that no pains will be ſpared to render the ſaid paper ſtill more acceptable to them, and to approve ourſelves*

Their moſt devoted humble ſervants,
PURDIE & DIXON.

☞ *We have juſt imported a large and well aſſorted ſtock of* PAPER, &c. *and ſhall be glad to furniſh any Gentlemen who may pleaſe to favour us with their orders with* BLANK BOOKS *of all ſizes, ruled as they direct, bound neatly, and in the ſtrongeſt manner, upon reaſonable terms.*

The SICK LADY's CASE.

In a Letter to her Children.
Written by herſelf.

Ne quid detrimenti capiat RESPUBLICA.

OH! my dear children! ſick! ſick! deadly ſick! I wiſh I may be able to go through with what I have undertaken to relate.

I am a perſon of ſo tender and delicate a frame that it frequently requires a *conſultation of phyſicians* to keep me in any tolerable repair. By this means I become a great charge and trouble to you. It would not I allow be worth your while to beſtow much pains and expenſe on ſo infirm and crazy a habit of body as mine is, was it not decreed by inſuperable fate that by my health and vigour alone can be ſecured thoſe of my whole family, that is, of a hopeful and (in the memory of man) a happy colony, and of all thoſe that have therewith any connexions. But ſince your ſanity is interrupted by my decline, as the ſtream ſhrinks by the failure of the parent fountain, ſince your flouriſhing ſtate is as inſeparably interwoven with mine as the exuberance of the branches with the ſtrength of the root of a tall poplar, it becomes of infinite conſequence to your intereſt that I ſhould lay before you ſome account of my condition; and, if I can be indulged with ſtrength ſufficient for ſuch an enterpriſe, of what has rendered it ſo diſtreſsful for a number of years paſt, as you cannot but have ſeverely felt, whether you have attended or not to the true cauſe of your own painful ſenſations, my hope in thus formally laying before you a tablet of my ſufferings is that thereby you will be the better enabled to excogitate proper remedies for my ailments, and induced to lay aſide all other attentions until you have ſeen the ſaid remedies duly adminiſtered.

I am not, it is true, like any mere puny human being, affected with every change of the air and turn of the weather-cock; but I am, much after the ſame manner like your guardian genius, nearly touched in point of health with every publick tranſaction. The politicks of the region wherein I reſide is the element which I breathe, and juſt to me what the atmoſphere is to an ordinary valetudinarian. With the late war, and firſt emiſſion of paper money, began my calamities. I was immediately ſeized with ſuch apprehenſions and terrours as they only experience who have fallen into that diſeaſe which makes them imagine their corporeal ſyſtem to be all changed into glaſs, and are accordingly alarmed at any rude approach of ſtony matter and metallick ſubſtance, or at the leaſt motion of their own limbs, for fear they ſhould be broken into ten thouſand pieces. When paper was made a legal tender, I became ſenſible of a ſhock, as if I had been electrified or thunder-ſtruck; which brought on a fainting fit, that left me inconceivably feeble. When emiſſion ſucceeded emiſſion, I had convulſion after convulſion, with a rapidity that left little or no intervals. When it appeared that the firſt emiſſions continued in circulation after the time preſcribed for their redemption, and to be ſtill a legal tender, when they ought to have vaniſhed out of being; and when publick notice was given for all concerned to come and exchange obſolete paper (ſo far obſolete I mean as time of redemption's being paſt could make it ſo) at an empty Treaſury, which had nothing to give in exchange; theſe were ſuch blows that it would have puzzled the whole faculty to have diſcovered any ſymptoms of life in me, and I laid ſo long in a ſwoon, or trance, that thoſe about me, or who had their eyes upon me, gave me over for dead, and thought I had no more chance for reviving than if I had ſwallowed a pound of opium, or received a bullet through my heart. And indeed it can be owing to nothing but a miracle that I ſubſiſt at this day, in a capacity to write any account of my caſe; yet it muſt be owned that I have been favoured with ſome aſſiſtance, by means that were not ſupernatural. Some of my diſtant children applied to a famous *college of phyſicians* in their vicinage, who preſcribed an entire ſtoppage to new emiſſions of paper; which, had they been permitted to iſſue, would undoubtedly have turned me, reduced as I already was, into as perfect a ſkeleton as ever was ſcraped by any of St. Thomas's pupils. This, though not ſo effectual as it would have been had it been joined in alliance with a thorough evacuation of the ill humours bred by old emiſſions, which when once entered into one's bowels are ſo difficult to be diſlodged, procured me ſome relief. Some of my dutiful children, who had a nearer view of my imbecility and dangerous circumſtances, made an effort for purging me of all bad effects produced by former emiſſions indifferently, as faſt as ſuch obſtructions could be come at and expelled; and if this phyſick had been given in *due quantities*, and had *worked well* without being counteracted by *noſtrums* of a different quality, which certain adverſe demons, unoppoſed by my *peculiar doctor*, found the means of cramming down my throat, my recovery would have been completed. My reſpectful children above mentioned alſo wrote a ſenſible account to prove that the taxes were ſufficient for ridding me of the paper, as faſt as was primarily intended; and this would have turned out an invigorating cordial, or at the worſt a ſucceſsful though ſlow alterative, had the taxes been duly and impartially gathered, and applied to the ſalutary purpoſe of freeing me from that pernicious paper, the bane of my hopes, and nouriſhment of my miſery. After a variety of ſuch incompetent attempts in my favour, and the good wiſhes of many who perceived themſelves unable to give me that help which they deſired, I found that, inſtead of being under the care of *one phyſician in ordinary*, and a number of *extraordinary ones* to be called to a *conſultation* on any emergency, I was left ſolely in the hands of my *phyſician in ordinary*, who had found means, by a ſubtle conduct, the advantage which his ſtation in another department gave him, and certain *douceurs* more delicious and alluring than a *batch of oyſters*, to controul my *body of extraordinary phyſicians*, or prevail with them to place the management of a patient, ſo important give me leave to ſay to the publick utility, under his ſingle ſkill and integrity, to purge, bleed, and bliſter, according to his own beſt judgment and diſcretion. And if one of my ſagacious well diſpoſed dear children had not moved that he ſhould give a better ſecurity than uſual for his good behaviour in ſo nice and critical an employment, in an office of ſo much truſt, Heaven knows what would have been my ſtate and yours in conſequence this moment. I cannot reflect on this accumulator of poſts, to whoſe ſole care I was given up and confided, without emotions that are dangerous to one in my preſent ſituation. He did not ſeem to know, or attend, to the vital connexions between me and my offspring; he appeared to be not at all aware that by recovering me to the full enjoyment of health he was removing the ſource from whence flow all the curable diſorders of my progeny, and giving bloom and firmneſs to all, who are content to ſuch their nouriſhment from my breaſts, or live under my tutelage on ſuch ſuſtenance as I can afford. Inſtead of playing the ſage and careful phyſician with me, or ordering me a proper regimen, and by that means laying the ax to the root of the tree, with reſpect to the afflictions that had befallen my numerous family, he entirely neglected me, confiding no doubt for a refuge from cenſure and correction in that wiſe adage, *What is every body's buſineſs is no body's buſineſs.* The notion both of himſelf and his friends was that he did abundance in only tampering with ſome of my untowardly degenerate brats, who would not be ruled, nor ſatisfied with a wholeſome allowance; but by intemperance, and a rich diet, quite unſuitable to their conſtitutions, brought on themſelves certain troubleſome ſores in their legs, which, if not early checked in their growth, would often hinder the perſon affected from walking abroad on his ordinary occaſions, or to take the air; and dangerous ſwellings of the body, which if not quickly diſcuſſed, put the overgrown and puffed up wretch to an intolerable expenſe in providing garments fine enough to be endured and large enough to button round him, eaſy carriages for conveying him a few paces to church, court-houſe, or his next neighbour's, with all the magnificence of diſeaſe, &c. The ſores our doctor treated after the manner of an unſkilful ſurgeon, or a pretending quack, who aims to make the moſt of a patient; applying, or (as ſome perhaps with more propriety call it) *miſapplying* lenients, where cauſticks were become evidently neceſſary, until in the place of a common ſore he often left a ſpreading and obſtinate ulcer. For the ſwellings he indulged his patients in drinking as much as they pleaſed, and what liquor they liked beſt; until even ſmall, and at firſt eaſily ſurmountable tumours, were doctored into confirmed and hopeleſs dropſies. And thus has he thrown away on thoſe to whom he did no good, but a great deal of harm, as much coſt as would have kept me and my governable ſober children in perfect ſoundneſs and vigour, had he uſed well judged endeavours in the proper place, and begun at the right end, by rectifying the temperament of my blood and ſpirits. To be ſhort, and leſſen my agonizing trouble, inſtead of relieving others, he himſelf caught the diſorders of thoſe whom he viſited, and is now numbered with the dead, after having ſtruggled for ſome time with an oppreſſive tympany, that moſt alarming caſe of a tun-belly, with reeds ready to break for ſupporters. This event has brought my diſtemper to a criſis. But I muſt beg permiſſion to finiſh what I have to ſay at a better opportunity; the fatigue of ſuch recollections, and the labour of expreſſing them with my pen, having quite unnerved my *fingers*, as well as overſet my *head*, and drawn upon me too great a dejection of ſpirits for longer narration at preſent.

To be continued, if life and health permit.

LONDON, *Auguſt* 23.

POLITICAL SQUIBS.

THE patent is actually paſt the Seals for the Great *Hurlothrumbo*'s being created Lord *Flame*, Viſcount of *Fol-ſaw-lum*, and Earl of *Chit-chat-cheatum*.

MOURN *England*, Old and New, from ſhore to ſhore,
Your great great *Commoner* is now no more.
O *Walpole*, vers'd in man! 'twas you foretold
Each for his price would ſoon be bought and ſold.
Strange! that ambition ſhould itſelf defeat,
And bid a man grow little to grow great:
'Tis our own name which makes our acts our own,
Pitt was ador'd, but *Chatham* quite unknown.
Eclips'd by titles thus, if patriots be,
Give me for life to keep the name of *free*.

Suppoſed to be ſpoken by Liberty.

GREAT pity! that cities renoun'd for their wit
Had not wiſdom to fathom the depth of a P—tt;
For had they foreſeen that my cauſe he'd have ſold,
They'd have ſav'd all their boxes of ſilver and gold.

UNHAPPY ****! ſevere, though juſt, thy lot!
By foes neglected, and by friends forgot:
No more ſhall ſenates hang upon thy tongue,
And hail thee freedom's firmeſt, trueſt ſon;
No more at turtle-feaſt thy fame ſhall ſound,
Nor Common Council quaff thy name around.
Ill fated *Bath!* to court a victim made,
By *Earls* diſgrac'd, by *Commoners* betray'd.

The LION *and* JACKAL.
A FABLE.

A JACKAL, faithful, firm, and bold,
Grew in the Lion's ſervice old;
Had born the weight of publick truſt,
And ever was accounted juſt.
With care he brought his Sovereign's prey,
Nor eat one morſel by the way;
'Til worn with age, with illneſs lame,
He could no longer ſeek the game,
When the good Lion thought it hard
His ſlave ſhould die without reward;
For oft he'd aſk'd him to partake
Of horſe's haunch, or aſs rump ſtake;
Which, from diſintereſted views,
The Jackal would as oft refuſe;
Of offer'd honours had ſtood trial,
But ſtill return'd a flat denial.
The means howe'er was found, at laſt,
To pay him for his ſervice paſt;
And, under ſanction of his health,
Beſtow both dignity and wealth.
The Lion had a bonnet made
(For there are brutes of every trade)
With precious ſtones enrich'd around,
Which here might coſt three thouſand pound;
And, to increaſe the honour more,
A peacock's feather ſtuck before;
This done, he ſent, and had him told
'Twould ſave his head from catching cold;
For ſince he knew his loyalty
Would make him always active be,
And that his duty to his King
Would keep him ever on the wing,
This cap would cool the ſummer's glow,
And ſhield him from the winter's ſnow.
The Jackal paus'd, he fear'd his choice
Might loſe at once the publick voice.
At length, regardleſs of the crowd,
He took the preſent, ſmil'd, and bow'd;
And now, ſecure from winds and weather,
He hops about with cap and feather.

EPIGRAM *on a late* GREAT COMMONER.

ON banks of Weſer, and of Rhine,
Pitt cuts the Cherokees to chine;
The Ruſs and Auſtrians fled before him,
From Miſſiſippi to Lake Huron.
He ſcorns applauſe from good and wiſe;
From Mayors and Porters 'tis a prize.
With name and wealth unjuſtly got,
F——leſs, friendleſs, and forgot,
At Chatham he begins to rot.

LONDON, *Sept.* 11.

The following facts, from their being to be supported by the beſt authorities, may be conſidered as indiſputable: That of late years our arable and rich paſture grounds have been greatly increaſed, our tillage and cultivation of all kinds much improved, our national population much diminiſhed, and the prices of all proviſions much increaſed, all of which together muſt ſerve to manifeſt ſome great defect in our policy.

It is ſaid that notwithſtanding the preſent ungrateful clamours againſt Lord C——, he will ſhortly prove himſelf the poor's beſt friend, being determined immediately to procure a prohibition of the exportation of corn, and alſo to promote ſeveral ſalutary laws for their benefit, next ſeſſions of Parliament, particularly with reſpect to proviſions, and the additional tax upon bee.

Sept. 13. It is reported that formidable fleets of ſhips of war will ſhortly rendezvous at Spithead.

An additional number of artificers, it is ſaid, have been ordered to be taken into pay in the dock yards at Portſmouth.

Sept. 16. This day both Houſes of Parliament will meet at Weſtminſter, purſuant to their laſt prorogation.

A copy of the articles propoſed by France, for effecting an accommodation between the Corſicans and Genoeſe, has been tranſmitted here by one of his Majeſty's foreign Conſuls, ſaid to be of ſome importance to our trade in the Mediterranean.

Some folks, who are not eaſily wrought upon by vague reports, do think that things are ſo far from being firmly ſettled in the ſeveral departments of national buſineſs as to admit of great changes very unexpectedly.

Divers Gentlemen are lately gone over to New York, and other provinces in North America, to claim lands given their predeceſſors almoſt a century ago. On the eſtate of one Gentleman, it is ſaid, Elizabeth town is built, which will now turn out of great value to him. It is probable this may give the American lawyers ſome buſineſs.

BASSETERRE (*St. Chriſtopher*'s) *October* 8.

Monday night laſt, about 10 o'clock, a great ſurf, with a briſk gale of wind from the S. E. began, in which 9 or 10 veſſels were drove aſhore on the beach, and wrecked; ſome houſes, fences, trees, &c. in town, are damaged. We have had no news yet from the country, and greatly fear the miſchief done there is conſiderable, as the wind continues blowing hard. The following are the veſſels loſt, as we hear: A ſchooner belonging to Mr. Wattley, Capt. Farrell; a ſloop belonging to Mr. Satterthwaite, Capt. Simms; brig George, Capt Gregory, and a ſchooner, Capt. Duncan, from Philadelphia; a ſloop from the windward iſlands; the ſloop Bachelor, Capt. Yard, belonging to Mr. Priddie; Capt. Boyd's ſchooner; Capt. Wilſon's ſchooner; Mr. Neſbit's two maſt boat, Capt. Conner; and the boat Polly Grogg, belonging to Mr. Mardenbrough.

October 11. On Wedneſday laſt the Coroner's inqueſt ſat on the body of James Nailer, late maſter of Mr. Boyd's ſchooner the Polly, who was unfortunately killed when that veſſel was drove aſhore; and the jury brought in their verdict, accidental death.

From Sandy Point we hear that a ſloop was drove aſhore there, and loſt; and that a ſchooner put to ſea from thence, when the ſtorm began, with only two hands on board, and has not ſince been heard of.

From different parts of the iſland we have accounts of great damage being done to the cane pieces, roads, &c. by the late bad weather.

NEW YORK, *November* 3.

We have the pleaſure to inform our readers, from good authority, that his Excellency Sir Henry Moore, our Governour, has received inſtructions from home to give his aſſent to the bills that may be paſſed and preſented to him by the General Aſſembly of this province for the emiſſion of paper currency, or money bills of credit.

Capt. Johnſton, in 20 days from Antigua, informs us that on the 3d ult. was taken up at ſea, and brought to that iſland, by one of their pilots, a large black ſloop, without any living creature on board; ſhe had new ſails, made by Chriſtopher Dyckinck in New York, four ports in each ſide, four cabin windows, with four panes of glaſs in each; her cabin painted of a cedar colour, her ſtarboard ſhrowds cut away, and ſeveral cuts in her maſt, with her lumber port open. She had a new cable, hoops, and lumber, and ducks on her deck; alſo ſeveral barrels of flower in her hold, ſome of which were marked H. M. the brand F. M. and others marked A. M. It was imagined ſhe took fire at ſea, as her cabooſe was burnt, and deſerted perhaps too ſoon by her crew.

Capt. Webb, on his paſſage from the bay for this port, on the 2d day of laſt month, in lat. 23, 24, off the north ſide of Cuba, was ſtruck by lightning, which killed one of his men (an Italian) on the deck, and ſhattered his main and mizzen top maſts to pieces.

Capt. Cunningham, from Santa Croix, informs us that juſt before he ſailed Capt. Sadler, in a brig belonging to Cheſter in Maryland, bound home from Antigua, laden with rum and ſugar, had put in there, in a very ſhattered condition, having loſt all her maſts, and every thing off the deck, in lat. 23, in the gale of wind or hurricane on the 20th of September laſt. And that Capt. Wattles, in a ſloop belonging to Norwich in Connecticut, bound home from Anguilla with a load of ſalt, had put into Tortola, having loſt his maſt in lat. 22, 30, in the ſame hurricane.

He alſo acquaints us that an Engliſh ſhip had put into St. Thomas's, diſmaſted in the ſame hurricane, and an Engliſh ſchooner at St. John's, in the ſame condition, but could not learn their names.

Capt. Blow, in 31 days from Curacoa, on the 9th ult. off the iſland of Monaca, met with an exceſſive hard gale of wind at S. S. E. which continued 12 hours, and ſays that if the gale was as ſevere to windward as he had it, that no veſſel could poſſibly ride it out at anchor at any of the iſlands where the roads are open to the S. and S. E. winds.

PHILADELPHIA, *November* 6.

A Gentleman writes from St. Chriſtopher's, October 11th, that a veſſel was juſt arrived from St. Euſtatia, the firſt ſince the gale of wind, the Captain of which informed of the loſs of a number of veſſels there (ſaid to be 14 ſail) and that he met three or four veſſels at ſea diſmaſted, from which it was imagined the gale had been general throughout the iſlands.

Capt. Blewer, in a ſloop belonging here, put out to ſea from St. Chriſtopher's; and Capt. Tolbert, in a brig of this place, rode out the gale there. Capt. Baldwin, in a New York brig, by cutting away his mainmaſt, rode it out at St. Euſtatia.

Extract of a letter from Cork, *Auguſt* 27.

"You will have ſeen, no doubt, before this reaches you, that the intercourſe between America and Ireland is totally cut off, from the 1ſt of January next, by the 35th ſection of the American act of laſt ſeſſion, by the word Ireland being omitted through miſtake. A Gentleman of this place, now in London, was the firſt who perceived it, and alarmed the people on this ſide the water; he has preſented petitions to the Lord Lieutenant, from all the principal trading towns in the kingdom, and his Excellency has given the ſtrongeſt aſſurances that it will be repealed as ſoon as the Parliament meets."

WILLIAMSBURG, *November* 27.

A bill is brought into the Hon^ble the Houſe of Burgeſſes for erecting a ſtatue to his Majeſty, as a grateful acknowledgment for repealing the Stamp Act, and thereby reſtoring the rights and privileges of his American ſubjects; alſo an obeliſk, to commemorate the ſervices of thoſe noble and worthy patriots that diſtinguiſhed themſelves in bringing about that happy event.

This day it was determined in the Hon. the Houſe of Burgeſſes, by a large majority, that the office of Treaſurer of this colony ſhall be exerciſed by one perſon; and it was accordingly agreed that ROBERT CARTER NICHOLAS, Eſq; ſhould be intruſted with that important department.

It was voted alſo that the SPEAKER to that Houſe ſhall have a ſalary of 500l. ſterling a year.

Col. Richard Tunſtall is elected one of the Repreſentatives in Aſſembly for the county of King and Queen, in the room of John Robinſon, Eſq; deceaſed. And Capt. Samuel Meredith for Hanover county, in the room of Col. James Littlepage, deceaſed.

Yeſterday died Doctor PETER HAY, one of our moſt eminent phyſicians, at his houſe in this city.

The Cæſar, Capt. Martin, from Briſtol, is arrived in York river.

Entered in the diſtrict of SOUTH POTOWMACK.

October 15. Jenny, John Hall, from Hull, with 531 parcels of European goods, and 3 paſſengers.

Nov. 1. Adventure, Thomas Adam, from Barbados, with 75 hhds. and 2 barrels of rum, 26 barrels of muſcovado ſugar, and 2 bags of cotton.

3. Induſtry, James Lowes, from Limerick, with 97 paſſengers and ſervants.

Cleared.

October 10. Ranger, John Harbiſon, for London, with 481 hhds. of tobacco, 8 tuns of pig iron, 3 quarter caſks of Madeira wine, 1023 pipe; 3476 hhd. and 7979 barrel ſtaves.

21. Alexandria, John Montgomery, for Glaſgow, with 351 hhds. of tobacco, 14 tuns of pig iron, 7 tuns and 13 wt. of bar iron, 400 hhd. and 10,000 barrel ſtaves, and 1 hhd. and 1 quarter caſk of Madeira wine.

23. Keith, William Miller, for Glaſgow, with 31 hhds. of tobacco, and 1 tun and 17 wt. of bar iron.

25. Nelly, Daniel M'Kirdy, for Glaſgow, with 100 hhds. of tobacco.

25. Jenny, John Hall, for Hampton, with 499 parcels of European goods.

Entered in the diſtrict of YORK *river.*

Sept. 13. Lovely Lucy, Richard Dunbar, from Philadelphia, with 9 hhds. of rum, 3 hhds. of loaf ſugar, 1 box of chocolate, 14 barrels of brown ſugar, 1 bag of ſnakeroot, and 10 lb. of Jeſuits bark.

18. Lucy, John Hearding, from St. Chriſtoper's, with 23 hhds. of rum, 10 hhds. of brown ſugar, and European goods.

24. Murdoch, John M'Cunn, from Glaſgow, with European goods.

30. William and Mary, John Days, from London, in ballaſt.

October 15. Lucy, William Lee, from Providence, with 16,000 oranges, 106,000 limes, 2 tuns of lignumvitæ, and 2 ſets of mohogany bed poſts.

15. Betſey, Richard Emms, from Briſtol, with European goods.

Cleared.

Sept. 4. Tom, Joſeph Clarke, for Liverpool, with 352 hhds. of tobacco, 6000 ſtaves, 2000 lock ſtocks, 40 walnut planks, 1000 feet of inch thick oak boards, 10 three inch cypreſs planks, 8 caſks of pearl aſh, 25 tuns of pig iron, and 1 hhd. of rum.

6. Prince William, John Patterſon, for Glaſgow, with 480 hhds. of tobacco, 15 tuns of pig iron, 4 bags of cotton, 1000 feet of inch plank, and 18,000 ſtaves.

8. Good Intent, George Hubbard, for London, with 481 hhds. of tobacco, and 9411 ſtaves.

8. Rachael and Mary, William Anderſon, for London, with 652 hhds. of tobacco, 3 hhds. and 8 barrels of ginſeng, 1 hhd. of ſnakeroot, 20 tuns of bar and 5 tuns of pig iron, 1 hhd. of rum, and 13,000 ſtaves.

9. Friendſhip, Barnabas Chadwick, for Piſcataway, with 20 buſhels of wheat, and ſundry goods returned.

13. Rialto, David Meriwether, for Briſtol, with 207 hhds. of tobacco, 45 tuns of pig iron, half a tun of hemp, 225 oak and 7 pine planks, 24 walnut logs, 565 walnut planks, 87 oars, 14,000 ſtaves, and 1 hhd. of rum.

17. Mary, Richard Tomſon, for London, with 439 hhds. of tobacco, 16,700 ſtaves, 300 oars, and 15 tuns of pig iron.

89. Madeira Packet, George Wilkinſon, for London, with 348 hhds. of tobacco, 12 tuns of pig iron, 5 pipes, 4 hhds. and 2 quarter caſks of Madeira wine, 11,000 ſtaves, and 2 caſks of ginſeng.

October 4. Jane and Elizabeth, Hudſon Powell, for Barbados, with 1485 buſhels of corn, 500 buſhels of oats, 286 buſhels of peaſe, 4 hhds. of tobacco, 3250 ſtaves, 510 pieces of heading, 13,000 ſhingles, 2 bags of ſnakeroot, and 1000 ſmart hoops.

Entered in the upper diſtrict of JAMES *river.*

October 20. Mary, Purvis Siſſon, from Newcaſtle on Tyne, with European goods, and 31 paſſengers.

28. Marlborough, John Richards, from New York, with 4 hhds. of rum, 1 barrel of ſugar, and 1 tierce of moloſſes.

Nov. 10. Mary, Obadiah Morgan, from Bermuda, with 9 hhds. of rum, 15 barrels of ſugar, 1000 buſhels of ſalt, and 301. caſh.

20. Theodorick, John M'Nabb, from London, with European goods.

Cleared.

October 28. Earl of Bute, George Buchanan, for Glaſgow, with 331 hhds. of tobacco, 330 bars of lead, 400 wt. of cotton, 50 wt. of ſnakeroot, and 8000 ſtaves.

Nov. 1. Homer, Robert Haſtie, for Glaſgow, with 304 hhds. of tobacco, 16 tuns of pig iron, and 9500 ſtaves.

8. Elizabeth, Thomas Coleman, for New York, with 31 hhds. of tobacco, and 1100 buſhels of wheat.

15. Richmond, Henry Minſon, for Newport, Rhode Iſland, with 2400 buſhels of coal, 50 buſhels of wheat, 31 buſhels and a half of flax ſeed, and half a tun of hemp.

A LIST *of* LETTERS *in the Poſt Office at* TODD's BRIDGE.

JAMES BURNLEY, King William. Thomas Lundie, at Col. Thomas Moore's, on Matapony. Charles Crabin, at Col. Bernard Moore's, King William. Eleanor Cleavely, King William court-houſe. Thomas Dudleſton, Caroline county, Pamunkey. George Rootes, King and Queen.

Advertiſements.

WHEREAS I have received certain and frequent information that I am injured to the amount of a large ſum of money annually, by the indulgence ſhown to the keepers of ordinaries, in not compelling them to renew their licenſes, according to law: This is to deſire that the Judges on the reſpective Benches would take care that juſtice is done to the country as well as myſelf in this point, by directing that the Clerk of the Court keep a correct regiſter of the dates of the licenſes granted, and report to the Court the time of the expiration of each licenſe. And the King's Attornies are hereby required to preſent, and proſecute, all ſuch offenders againſt law as ſhall preſume to keep open ordinary, and ſell liquors, after the expiration of the term for which the laſt licenſe was granted.

FRANCIS FAUQUIER.

At the Rev. B. BOOTH's ACADEMY, *the ſeat of the late Lady* MOLLINEUX's *at* Woolton, *five miles from* Liverpool, *young* GENTLEMEN *are educated on the following terms:*

	£.	ſ.	d.
FOR Board, and learning Engliſh, Latin, Greek, Writing, Arithmetick, Merchants Accounts, Geography, Navigation, Aſtronomy, Surveying, Mathematicks in general, Drawing and Perſpective,	21	0	0 per Ann.
Entrance for do.	1	1	0
Muſick, per quarter,	1	1	0
Entrance for do.	0	10	6
Dancing, per quarter,	0	15	0
Entrance for do.	0	5	0
Fencing, per quarter,	1	1	0
Entrance for do.	0	10	6
Fire, per annum,	0	5	0

Waſhing, according to their age, from 7 s. 6 d. to 10 s. per quarter.

Particulars, relating to thoſe who do not board in the Academy, may be had from the maſter.

THERE is now in the SUBSCRIBERS warehouſe at *Norfolk* 50 ſacks of SALT, which were landed out of the ſnow HOPE, *John Marnex* maſter, from *Liverpool*, in *Auguſt* laſt. The Captain, not ſigning a bill of lading for the ſame, does not know whoſe property the ſaid ſalt is, but deſires the owner thereof to take it away immediately; otherwiſe it will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, on *Thurſday* the 4th of *December* next.

1 . BOLDEN, LAWRENCE, & C°

NORFOLK, *November* 25, 1766.

ANY perſon who has a mind to become an adventurer in my LOTTERY may ſee the ſcheme by applying to Meſſ. *Purdie* and *Dixon*'s Gazette of the 13th inſtant, and Mr. *Rind*'s Gazette of the 12th inſtant; alſo may ſee the ſcheme, plan, &c. at theſe Printing Offices, and in the hands of the managers at *Norfolk*; *George Wray*, *Hampton*; *Seymour Powell*, *York*; *William Trebell*, *James Southall*, and *William Lane*, *Williamſburg*; *John Baniſter*, *Peterſburg*, *Daniel M'Collam*, *Oſborne*'s; *Archibald Buchanan*, *Warwick*; *Alexander Donald*, *Page*'s; *Andrew Grant*, *Boyd*'s *Hole*; *Thomas Smith*, *Glouceſter*; *Peter Le Grand*, *Prince Edward*; *William Ronald*, and *James Scott*, *Eaſtern Shore*; of whom tickets may be had.

Tf JOSEPH CALVERT.

WHEREAS I rented a PLANTATION called *Gray's*, in *Surry* county, of Mr. *Randolph Holt*, for seven years, and entered upon the ſame the 13th of *December* laſt, I think proper to adverti ſe this, to appriſe any perſon who may purchaſe it.

1 WILLIAM PHILIP EDWARDS.

IMPORTED *from* LONDON, *in the ſhip* MATTY, WILLIAM FOX *maſter, now lying at* Port Royal, *on* Rappahannock *river,*

A LARGE Caſe, marked IWV, the V under the IW, No. 1, containing a quantity of neat PICTURES, framed and glazed, now on board ſaid ſhip. Alſo a caſe marked DI, *Peterſburg*, left in the care of Capt. *John Goodrich* at *Portſmouth*. Any perſon producing the invoice, and paying freight and the charge of this advertiſement, may have them. 2

To be SOLD, purſuant to a decree of the Hon. the General Court, before Mr. TREBELL's *door, in the city of* Williamſburg, *on* Friday *the 12th of* December *next,*

A TRACT of LAND, containing 3316 acres, lying on *Roanoke* river, in the county of *Halifax*, 1100 of which are fine low grounds, being the land purchaſed by *George Braxton*, Eſq; deceaſed, of the Hon. WILLIAM BYRD, Eſq; and ſubject to the dower of Mrs. BRAXTON therein. Eighteen months credit will be allowed the purchaſer, on giving bond and ſecurity to the adminiſtrators of the eſtate of *John Robinſon*, Eſq; deceaſed, and

CARTER BRAXTON.

N. B. The land will be ſold free from dower, or any other encumbrance.

To be SOLD *to the higheſt bidders, on* Monday *the 15th of* December, *at the late dwelling-houſe of Colonel* JAMES LITTLEPAGE, *deceaſed, in* Hanover *county,*

ALL his STOCK of CATTLE, among them 50 barren cows, which will be kept in order for beef, and 13 work ſteers; 85 horſes, among them ſeveral good for the ſaddle and work; alſo hogs, and ſheep. Six months credit will be allowed, the purchaſers giving bond and ſecurity to the executors. All ſums under 20 s. to be paid down.

Likewiſe the land and plantation whereon he lived, containing 4000 acres, called and known by the name of *South Wales*.

Alſo 3000 acres of land in *Orange* county, which formerly belonged to the eſtate of Col. *Braxton*, called *Brookſby*.

And 800 acres of land in *Louiſa* county, lying on *Contrary* creek.

If any perſon is inclinable to ſee the above land before the day of ſale, the tract whereon he lived may be ſhown them by Capt. *Samuel Overton*, Mr. *John Winſton*, or *Thomas Doſwell*, that in *Orange* by Mr. *John Lewis*, and that in *Louiſa* by Col. *Robert Anderſon*.

The credit to be agreed on at the day of ſale, by

The EXECUTORS.

To be SOLD *at publick ſale, at* ROCKY RIDGE, *on* Monday *the 12th of* January *next,*

ABOUT 100 choice Negroes, moſt of them *Virginia* born; among which are ſeveral good carpenters, ſawyers, coopers, as good a houſe joiner as any Negro in the colony, and a very good blackſmith. Credit will be given until the 10th of *April*, 1768. Bond and ſecurity will be required, and all bonds not paid by that day will carry intereſt from the date.

Tdſ NATHANIEL HARRISON.

N. B. Large diſcount will be allowed for ready money.

To be SOLD,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, containing about 1900 acres, pleaſantly ſituated on *James* river, in *Prince George* county, known by the name of *Coggin's Point*, in an extraordinary good neighbourhood, and has the advantage of all the places on the river for fiſh and fowl. Perſons inclining to purchaſe are deſired to apply for terms to *Benjamin Harriſon*, Jun. or *John Fitzhugh*, at *Martin's Brandon*, or the ſubſcriber in *Stafford*.

Tf NATHANIEL HARRISON.

To be SOLD, *at the houſe of* Ben Johnſton, *in* Spotſylvania *county, on* Thurſday *the 1ſt of* January *next,*

ELEVEN SLAVES,

and ſundry houſehold and kitchen furniture, the eſtate of Mr. JOHN BENGER, deceaſed. Six months credit will be allowed, the purchaſers giving bond and ſecurity.

All perſons having any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate are deſired to make them known to the executors by perſonal application, in order that thoſe debts of greater dignity, or prior debts, may be firſt paid, as it is imagined the eſtate is not ſufficient to diſcharge the whole demands againſt it; and thoſe indebted to the deceaſed, are deſired to make payment to

WILLIAM & BEN JOHNSTON, Executors.

To be SOLD, *and ENTERED upon immediately,*

A TRACT of LAND in *James City* county, about 3 miles from *Williamſburg*, containing 235 acres, whereon is a good new dwelling-houſe, and all other neceſſary out-houſes, a barn, a garden well paled in, and a fine apple and peach orchard. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe will have an extraordinary bargain of the above land, on applying to JOSIAH CHOWNING.

To be SOLD *by the ſubſcriber, for ready money; near* Peters's *bridge,* SUSSEX *county,*

MEN and Womens WEARABLES, *viz.* Broad cloths, with full trimmings for ſuits, ſtuffs for gowns, and millinery ware; likewiſe Doctor Turner's æther, Turlington's balſam, Anderſon's pills, Doctor James's powder, French hungary water, double diſtilled lavender do. linſeed oil, paints of various kinds, print varniſh, panel do. leather varniſh, and ſeveral other goods.

SAMUEL PEETE.

N. B. All perſons indebted to me are deſired to make ſpeedy payment, for I ſhall indulge no longer.

Taken up, in *Orange*, a young dark bay ſmall horſe, branded on the near buttock 4H in a piece; poſted, and appraiſed to 40 s.

WILLIAM BELL.

NORFOLK, *November* 18, 1766.

THE ſubſcriber, finding the office of VENDUE MASTER interfere too much with his other buſineſs, has determined him to decline it in favour of Mr. *James Gilchriſt*, a young Gentleman of known honour, experience, and diligence, and one whom he begs leave to recommend to his friends. He now will apply himſelf cloſely to the ſale of ſuch country produce, or other goods, as may be ſent him in the private way; and hopes to give ſatisfaction, as he will do every thing in his power to promote the intereſt of his employers.

THOMAS HEPBURN.

NOVEMBER 17, 1766.

ALL perſons indebted to *James Heart's* TRUSTEES are deſired to make immediate payment to Mr. *John Tazewell*, Attorney at Law in *Williamſburg*, who has directions to commence ſuits againſt thoſe who fail. The creditors under that truſt are deſired to meet at Mr. *Trebell's*, in *Williamſburg*, on *Friday* the 11th of *December* next.

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To be SOLD,

EIGHT hundred acres of exceeding good level LAND, in *King William* county, on *Pamunkey* river, about three miles from *Claiborne's* ferry, with a dwelling-houſe and proper out-houſes thereon. Likewiſe about 600 acres of low grounds oppoſite the ſame, in *New Kent* county, on which there is great plenty of timber; this tract of land is capable of great improvements. The lands will be ſold together or ſeparate, and a reaſonable credit given. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, or view the land, may apply to Mr. *Quarles* at *Claiborne's* ferry, or the ſubſcriber in *Williamſburg*.

THOMAS KNOX.

N. B. There is a remarkable fine fiſhery on the land, and the greateſt plenty of wild fowl.

To be SOLD *by the ſubſcriber, the 3d of* December *next, on the premiſes,*

THE Houſes and Lots in NEWCASTLE, which did formerly belong to Doctor JOHN SHORE. Thirty pounds to be paid on New Year's day, the balance in *April* General Court, giving bond and ſecurity to 2

SAMUEL MORRIS.

WARWICK county, *November* 3, 1766.

WHEREAS my wife SARAH RUSSELL hath behaved very indecent to me, and will not live with me, I therefore forewarn all perſons from crediting her on my account, as I will not pay any debt ſhe may hereafter contract.

THOMAS RUSSELL, Sen.

To be LET *for a term of years, to the higheſt bidder, on* Saturday *the 13th of* December *next, before Mr.* Trebell's *door in* Williamſburg,

THE noted and well accuſtomed ordinary now kept by Mr. THOMAS DONCASTLE, in *New Kent* county, on the main road from *Williamſburg* to *Claiborne's* ferry, with a plantation, and about 500 acres of land belonging to it. There is a genteel two ſtory houſe now building near the old ordinary 40 feet long and 24 feet wide, which will be ſoon finiſhed, and whoever rents it may enter on the premiſes before *Chriſtmas*. And on *Tueſday* following, being the 16th of *December*, will be ſold at the ſaid ordinary, at publick auction, all the houſehold and kitchen furniture belonging to the ordinary, with the ſtock of cattle, hogs, horſes, ſheep, tools, *&c.* belonging to the plantation. There will alſo be a cook wench, and ſeveral houſe ſervants, then hired out. Twelve months credit will be allowed the purchaſers, on giving bond with good ſecurity; and ſecurity is to be given by the perſon or perſons that rents the ordinary and hires the ſlaves, for the payment of the rent and hire to the adminiſtrators of *John Robinſon*, Eſq; deceaſed. 4

To be SOLD *at* GLOUCESTER *court, on* Thurſday *the 4th of* December,

TEN LIKELY BLOODED NAGS, among which are three mares with foal by *Janus*, two by *Partner*, and the moſt of them got by *Janus*; alſo 5 year old mules. Twelve months credit will be allowed, the purchaſers giving bond and ſecurity if required, with intereſt from the date.——It is alſo required of all perſons who have any demands againſt the eſtate of Col. *John Willis* of *Brunſwick*, deceaſed, to make them known to *John* or *Francis Willis*, of the ſaid county, who will ſatisfy them as ſoon as poſſible; and all perſons indebted to the ſaid eſtate are deſired to come and pay off their accounts, or give their bonds on intereſt, or they may depend their accounts will be put into an Attorney's hand.

2 MILDRED WILLIS, Executrix.

On Saturday *the 6th of* December *next will be expoſed to publick* SALE, *on the premiſes, and to be entered upon immediately,*

THE LAND and PLANTATION whereon *John Townes* now lives, on *Little Roanoke* river, in *Charlotte* county, conſiſting of 180 acres, with a valuable plantation in good order for cropping, a good dwelling-houſe, ſundry out-houſes, and a great variety of bearing fruit trees, thereon; alſo ſundry valuable SLAVES, late the property of the ſaid *Townes*. For terms inquire of *Paul Carrington*, Attorney at Law, who is to tranſact the buſineſs for

2 ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN.

To be SOLD *at* DINWIDDIE *Court, in* December *next,*

A TRACT of LAND, lying upon *Gravelly Run*, in the ſaid county, containing upwards of 1000 acres, about 10 miles from *Peterſburg* and *Blandford*, and upon a main road leading thereto; there is cleared ground for about 8 hands. The ſoil eſteemed for any kind of grain and tobacco, and a moſt excellent place thereon for a mill, part of the dam yet ſtanding. I purpoſe to divide it into two or more lots, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers. Credit will be allowed for one half until *April* next, and the other half the *October* following. Tobacco at *Bolling's* will be taken at the current price. Alſo to be ſold, on *Monday* the 1ſt of *December* next, at my pits on *Appamattox* river, below *Blandford*, a large quantity of the beſt black walnut and ſeaſoned pine PLANK. The terms to be agreed upon at the day of ſale.

2 AUGUSTINE CLAIBORNE.

YORK County, ſc.

JOHN PRENTIS, Gentleman, a Juſtice of Peace, and one of the Judges of the Court of the ſaid county:

To all Sheriffs, Mayors, Conſtables, and Head Boroughs, within this his Majeſty's colony and dominion of Virginia, *greeting.*

WHEREAS *Samuel Jones*, late of *Halifax* county, was lately a priſoner in the gaol of the ſaid county of *York*, charged on a writ of *Capias*, at the ſuit of *Alexander Spiers*, and Co. caſe damage 60 l. and foraſmuch as it has been duly proved before me that the ſaid *Samuel Jones* broke gaol, and is going at large: Therefore, in his Majeſty's name, I command you, and every of you, in your reſpective counties, cities, towns, and precincts, to ſeize and retake the ſaid *Samuel Jones*, and him to convey to the priſon where debtors are uſually kept in the county where he ſhall be retaken, and delivered to the keeper thereof, together with this warrant; and I charge and command you the ſheriff or keeper of the ſaid priſon to receive into your gaol and cuſtody the body of the ſaid *Samuel Jones*, and him there ſafely to keep, until he ſhall have made full ſatisfaction to the ſaid *Alexander Spiers* and Co. for his debt and coſts aforeſaid, or until he ſhall be diſcharged by due courſe of law, purſuant to an act of Aſſembly in that caſe made and provided.

GIVEN under my hand and ſeal, this 19th day of *November*, 1766. JOHN PRENTIS.

N. B. The ſaid *Samuel Jones* was alſo in gaol on an eſcape warrant from *Halifax* county.

STRAYED from *Richmond* town, on *Monday* the 6th of *October* laſt, a dark bay horſe, about 13 hands and a half high, with a hanging mane and thin ſwitch tail, his brand, if any, forgot. He formerly was the property of Mr. *Samuel Du Val*, and very probably may be thereabouts. Whoever conveys the ſaid horſe to me, in *New Kent*, ſhall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward.

THOMAS MASSIE.

Taken up, in *Cumberland*, a ſorrel mare, about 4 feet 5 or 6 inches high, with a blaze in her face, 4 white feet, hanging mane and ſprig tail, ſaddle ſpots on both ſides her back, paces well, appears to be hipſhot, and branded on the off buttock H; poſted, and appraiſed to 4 l.

NICHOLAS FORMBY.

Taken up, in *Cumberland*, a gray mare, about 3 years old, about 4 feet 4 or 5 inches high, with one white ſpot on the off buttock, not dockt, and branded on the near buttock h I. poſted, and appraiſed to 4 l.

SAMUEL BRIDGWATER.

Taken up, in *Cumberland*, a red and white cow, with a crop, ſlit, and underkeel, in each ear; poſted, and appraiſed to 25 s. FRANCIS HOPKINS.

Taken up, in *Louiſa*, a kind of a ſorrel or roan horſe, about 4 feet 4 inches high, about 8 or 9 years old, paces naturally, appears to have had a fiſtula, and branded on the near ſhoulder and buttock IC; poſted, and appraiſed to 6 l. THOMAS ROBERSON.

Taken up, in *Spotſylvania*, a young ſteer, of a reddiſh colour, with a bob tail, marked with a crop and ſlit in the right ear, and crop and hole in the left; poſted, and appraiſed to 25 s.

FRANCIS MERIWETHER.

Taken up, in *Warwick*, a gray ſleabitten horſe, 13 hands and half an inch high, trots and gallops, his fore legs much ſcared, ſuppoſed by hampering, and branded on the near ſhoulder IC; poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

HIGGINSON WADE.

Taken up, in *Mecklenburg*, a gray horſe, about 14 years old, about 4 feet 6 inches high, with a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, and underkeel in the right ear; poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

JOHN PATRICK.

Taken up, in *Halifax*, a bright bay horſe, about 13 hands and a half high, with a kind of a long ſtar in his forehead, ſome ſmall ſaddle ſpots, paces, had on a middling large bell, and branded on the near ſhoulder 2; poſted, and appraiſed to 6 l. EDWARD GIDDEON.

Taken up, in *Albemarle*, a dark bay mare, about 4 feet 2 or 3 inches high, with a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, ſome ſaddle ſpots, ſome white hairs on one of her hind feet, and branded H; alſo a bright bay mare, about 4 feet 4 or 5 inches high, with a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, and branded on the near buttock B.

JOHN MULLINS, Jun.

Taken up, in *Halifax*, a ſorrel mare, about 4 feet 1 inch high, with a long tail, is a trotter, and branded on the near buttock O; poſted, and appraiſed to 31. 10 s.

EDWARD GIDEONS.

Taken up, in *Louiſa*, a ſmall ſorrel mare, about 5 years old, and branded laſt ſpring on the near buttock IM; poſted, and appraiſed to 8 l. 10 s.

WILLIAM HUGHES.

Taken up, in *Louiſa*, a ſorrel roan horſe, about 4 feet 2 inches high, with a roached mane and bob tail, ſome ſaddle ſpots, and branded on the near ſhoulder CH; poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

JAMES ARNETT.

Taken up, in *Prince George*, a horſe colt; poſted, and appraiſed to 50 s.

JOHN POYTHRESS, Jnn.

Taken up, in *Auguſta*, a bay horſe, about 12 years old, paces, branded on the near ſhoulder 2, and on the near buttock reſembling F. IC

JAMES BYRNSIDE.

Taken up, in *Goochland*, a ſmall bay mare, about three years old laſt ſpring, with a blaze face, her hind feet white, one glaſs eye, and branded on the near buttock SM; poſted, and appraiſed to 5 l.

WILLIAM PLEDGE.

Taken up, in *King William*, a brindled ſteer, about 7 years old, marked with a ſwallow fork in the left ear, and a crop and ſlit in the right; poſted, and appraiſed to 3 l.

NATHANIEL BURWELL.

Taken up, in *Amelia*, a reddiſh brindled ſteer, with a white ſtreak down his back, white under his belly, and marked with a crop, ſlit, and underkeel, in each ear; he came to my houſe a bull, but is now a ſteer.

SAMUEL THOMAS.

Taken up, in *Amelia*, a middle ſized ſorrel mare, about 3 or 4 years old, with a large blaze in her face and all round her left jaw, all her feet white, wall eyes, and branded on the near buttock N; poſted, and appraiſed to 8 l.

JOHN BALDWIN, Jun.

To be SOLD *at* Hanover *court-houſe, on* Thurſday *the 4th of* December *next*,

100 LIKELY VIRGINIA BORN SLAVES,

among which are but very few old ones, a great part choice young fellows and wenches, ſome tradeſmen, and the reſt youths and children. An undoubted title will be made the purchaſers. Twelve months credit will be allowed, on bond and good ſecurity given, or ſeven and a half per cent. diſcount for ready money, paid to *Francis Jordan* and *John Hawkins*, who are to conduct the ſale.

On the laſt Thurſday *in* January *next will be expoſed to ſale, at* Fredericksburg,

Fifty Choice Slaves,

among which are ſome valuable houſe ſervants, and a ſmall collection of Mulatto boys. Credit will be allowed for half the purchaſe money until the firſt day of *June* following, and for the other half until the 25th of *October*. Bond and ſecurity for the payments to be given to the adminiſtrators of *John Robinſon*, Eſquire. Five per cent. diſcount will be allowed for ready money; and bonds not diſcharged at the day they become due are to carry intereſt from the date. 5

To be SOLD, *the 3d of* December, *at* Eaſt *warehouſe, in* Glouceſter *county*,

A Parcel of LAND,

containing about 40 acres, part lying within 60 yards of the warehouſe, is a beautiful place for a merchant, as there is at this time two ſea veſſels building thereon, and is clear and level. Alſo 231 acres of wood land, lying adjacent thereto, very rich and well timbered, will be ſold at the ſame time. Alſo near 400 acres of timbered land, lying within 5 miles of *Peterſburg*, part in *Prince George* and part in *Dinwiddie*, the county line dividing it. The time of payment will be agreed on at the day of ſale. ROBERT TOMPKINS.

To be SOLD, *on the premiſes, the* 10th *of* December *next*,

337 ACRES of GOOD LAND,

whereon is a good dwellling-honſe, with 4 fire-places below, and 2 brick chimnies, a kitchen with a brick chimney, and two fire-places below, all other neceſſary houſes, and two orchards. Alſo a quarter of a mile from thence, on the ſaid plantation, ſtands a houſe 20 by 16, with a brick chimney, and a Negro quarter by it. About 300 acres of the ſaid land is well timbered, the reſt very clear and level, and lies within half a mile of *Eaſt* warehouſe, in *Glouceſter* county. The time of payment will be agreed on at the day of ſale. JOSEPH GAYLE.

To be SOLD, *and entered on at* Chriſtmas *next*,

A Tract of LAND,

in HANOVER county, within four miles of the *Fork* church, and within three miles of four river mills, containing 453 acres, on *Little* river, with all convenient buildings thereon, *viz.* A new dwelling-houſe 42 by 18, with four fire places, and two brick cellars, ſtore, kitchen, ſmoke-houſe, dairy underpinned with brick, and a new barn 44 by 32, all covered with heart ſhingles, alſo another barn 32 by 16, both ten feet pitch, three good apple orchards, with ſundry other buildings too tedious to mention. The land lies on the main road, and is very convenient for a ſtore or ordinary. For terms inquire of the ſubſcriber, in *Hanover* town.

6 CHARLES GOODALL.

To be SOLD *at publick auction, at* Charles City *court-houſe, on the firſt* Wedneſday *in* March *next, being court day*,

6000 Acres of rich level LAND,

well timbered, and conveniently ſituated on *James* river, in the ſaid county. The lands will be ſold altogether, or laid off in parcels, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may be ſhown the land by applying to the ſubſcriber, who will receive propoſals before the day of ſale for the whole, or any part thereof. The truſtees will join in the conveyance, to transfer their right, on bonds being given in ſuch manner as ſhall be agreed on at the time of ſale. The purchaſers will have two years credit, on giving proper ſecurity.

5 WILLIAM KENNON.

WILLIAMSBURG, *November* 12, 1766.

STOLEN from *Newcaſtle*, in *Hanover* county, about 6 weeks ago, two dark bay plow horſes, one of them is large, has been foundered, marked on the near buttock .·. has a ſtar, and a buſhy tail. The ſmall horſe has the letter H on his near buttock, and no white about him. They both had been much worked, were poor when taken away, and ſuppoſed to be ſtolen by a tall black fellow with remarkable white teeth, now the property of Col. *Braxton* of *King William*, who was lately taken up, and put into the conſtable's hands to be carried to his maſter, by Col. *Cary* of *Hampton*, and the horſes are probably thereabouts. Whoever takes up the Negro, or horſes, and ſecures them, ſhall be handſomely rewarded for the Negro by Col. *Braxton*, and the horſes by

JOHN SYME.

THE firſt day of *January* next is appointed for the drawing of PETER WARREN's lottery. In the mean time tickets may be had of the managers, of many other Gentlemen in different parts of the country, and at each Printing Office in *Williamſburg*. Thoſe who have ſubſcribed for tickets are particularly deſired to apply for the ſame, as the drawing will certainly be on the day above mentioned, unleſs their delay ſhould protract it. But inaſmuch as this ſcheme (which may be ſeen wherever the tickets are to be had) is at leaſt on as equitable terms as any heretofore publiſhed, and as moſt of the tickets are already engaged, it is not doubted but the whole will be complete by the ſaid time.

Taken up, in *Southampton*, a black horſe, about 12 years old, about 14 hands high, with a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, ſome white hairs between his ſhoulders, and on the outſide of his near ſhoulder, appears to be a natural pacer, and branded on the near buttock ——3.

JOHN PERSON.

Taken up, in *Halifax*, a bright bay mare, about 14 hands high, with a ſtar in her forehead, black mane and tail, ſome white ſpots in the place of the collar, paces very well, has a bell on, and branded on the near ſhoulder and buttock W; poſted and appraiſed to 10 l.

JAMES COLLINS.

Taken up, in *Prince Edward*, between a bay and ſorrel horſe, about 4 feet 7 inches high, with a blaze face, ſome ſaddle ſpots, ſome of his mane cut off, appears to be middling old, has a ſhoe on one of his fore feet, a bell on marked AP, and branded on the near ſhoulder HW; poſted, and appraiſed to 6 l.

SAMUEL GOODE, Sen.

Taken up, near *Potowmack* river, between *Four Mile* run and *Rock Creek* ferry, a ſteer and heifer, both about 3 years old, marked with two ſlits in the right ear, and an over and underkeel in the left; the heifer is black; the ſteer is moſtly white, with an intermixture of black ſpots, chief of which are about his head, neck, feet, and legs, ſome on his body, and has black ears and red mouth.

JAMES RUSSELL.

Taken up, in *Dinwiddie*, 6 hogs, *viz.* One barrow and five ſows, one black, one black and white, two blue, and two blue and white, marked with a ſtaple fork and half-moon under it in the left ear, and a crop with a half-moon over it in the right.

JOSHUA SMITH.

To be SOLD, CHEAP,

A NEW SHIP, about 180 tuns, built of the beſt white oak, well calculated for the *Weſt India* or tobacco trade. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may apply to Mr. *Joſeph Calvert* at *Norfolk*, or *George Walker* at *Hampton*.

N. B. Six months credit, or good wheat, will ſuit for one half the value of ſaid veſſel. Tf

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Taken up, in *Dinwiddie*, a dark gray mare, about 7 years old, about 4 feet 8 or 9 inches high, paces ſlow, branded on the near buttock A, and on the near ſhoulder W; poſted, and appraiſed to 8 l.

THOMAS ROGERS.

To be SOLD,

THREE LOTS and HOUSES whereon the ſubſcriber lives, adjoining the town of *Peterſburg*, near the warehouſes, conſiſting of a large commodious dwelling-houſe, a warehouſe with a *Dutch* roof, that may be eaſily converted into a good dwelling-houſe with little expenſe, a good ſtall, ſtable, kitchen, and all other convenient houſes, with a yard and garden 600 feet long well paled in, and a piece of land behind for a paſture; likewiſe a very convenient ſtorehouſe on the other ſide the road, about 50 yards from a good landing, where a forty hogſhead flat can load. The houſes are lately built and well finiſhed, and will want no repairs for many years, is extremely well ſituated for buſineſs, and would anſwer for any perſon to carry on a large trade that requires much room. As *Peterſburg* is a place ſo well known for its great trade, having ſuch an extenſive back country, makes it unneceſſary to ſay any thing of its ſituation.

Alſo a very valuable tract of land for tobacco, containing 400 acres, lying on *Elve Stone*, about three miles from Mr. *Matthew Marrable's*, in *Charlotte* county, with all new houſes and barns, completely fixed for 6 or 8 hands, being but four years ſince it was firſt ſettled, is an extraordinary place for range, and would ſuit any one that has Negroes and wants good land, as no money is wanting to be laid out on it.

Alſo a good tract of land for tobacco, containing 200 acres, lying on *Reedy* creek, in *Lunenburg* county, about 60 miles from *Peterſburg*, with all the improvements, a large fine orchard in its prime, and is a very fine place for ſtock.

Alſo a tract of land in *Cheſterfield* county, containing 50 acres, about 2 miles from *Peterſburg*, with a good dwelling-houſe and other houſes, is good corn land, and would ſuit a tradeſman, as he might live at a ſmall expenſe, and be convenient to his buſineſs in *Peterſburg*.

The payments will be made eaſy to the purchaſers, and may be entered upon immediately, upon giving bond with good ſecurity.

As I intend for *Great Britain* as ſoon as I can ſettle my affairs, I ſhall take it extremely kind of all thoſe indebted to me to pay their reſpective balances; and thoſe whoſe accounts are open, if it is not convenient to diſcharge them, are deſired to give bond, and indulgence will be given. I hope regard will be paid to this advertiſement, as many bonds and accounts have been long ſtanding.

4 RICHARD HANSON.

PETERSBURG, *Nov.* 3, 1766.

On Monday *the 15th day of* December *next (if fair, otherwiſe next fair day) will be expoſed to ſale, at the plantation of Mr.* John Dixon, *deceaſed, on* Taylor's *creek, in* Hanover *county*,

Thirty fine Slaves;

alſo the ſtock, corn, and fodder. Credit will be given until the 1ſt of *June* next. The land, containing upwards of 3000 acres, will alſo be ſold in lots of about 800 acres (or otherwiſe, if agreed on before hand) on credit until the 10th of *October* next. The tract adjoins the land of *Dudley Digges*, Eſq; and Mr. *David Anderſon*, and lies on the branches of *Taylor's* creek, and *Little* and *Newfound* rivers.

Tdf JOHN DIXON, Executor.

On MONDAY *the 8th of* DECEMBER, *being* MECKLENBURG *court day, will be ſold at* Mecklenburg *court-houſe*,

A Tract of Land on

ROANOKE river, in ſaid county, late the property of Mr. *Robert Jones*, junior, deceaſed, containing about 1800 acres, great part of which is low grounds, ſcarce inferiour to any on *Roanoke*. There are barns, and all conveniences of cropping, for about 12 hands. One third of the purchaſe money muſt be paid on the day of ſale, and 12 or 18 months credit will be given for the balance ——At the ſame time and place will be ſold 15 SLAVES, chiefly country born, for ready money.

And on the 10th of ſaid month will be ſold, on the land aforeſaid, the ſtocks of CATTLE, HOGS, HORSES, and SHEEP; alſo about 200 barrels of CORN, and ſundry utenſils of HUSBANDRY.

8 ALLEN JONES. WILLIE JONES.

Scheme of a Lottery

FOR diſpoſing of 146 LOTS of LAND, in the town of *Hanover*, yet remaining unſold. —— The leaſt valuable of the lots, according to the prices of thoſe moſt remote from the water, which have been ſold, not being leſs than 20 l. which is far below a medium between that ſum and what was given for ſeveral near the water, the unſold lots are rated at 30 l. each, accounting 1, 2, 8, 9, 10, on which *Page*'s warehouſes ſtand, one lot; and 24, 35, 36, 47, 48, 49, on which *Crutchfield*'s warehouſes ſtand, one other lot only, ſo that there will be but 137 lots in the whole to be drawn for; and it is propoſed that there ſhall be no more than that number of chances, and conſequently no blanks. The conſideration money will not be required of Gentlemen willing to become adventurers, and ſubſcribing to the ſcheme, until *April* next; when it is to be paid to the proprietor at *Williamſburg*, either in caſh, or 3000 wt. of tobacco. The drawing will be ſoon after the ſubſcription ſhall be completed, of which notice ſhall be given in the *Virginia* Gazette. *Robert Carter Nicholas*, *George Wythe*, *Thomas Everard*, *John Thompſon*, and *Jerman Baker*, Eſquires, will be managers of the lottery, or any three of them. Tf MANN PAGE.

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